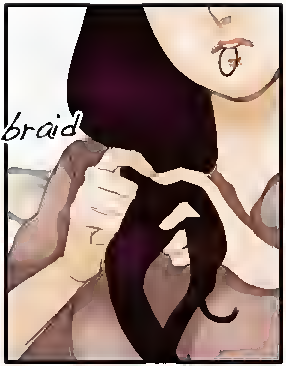
Please have your sound on for this chapter

SINCE LAST NIGHT, EVERYTHING HAS

FELT SURREAL UP UNTIL NOW.



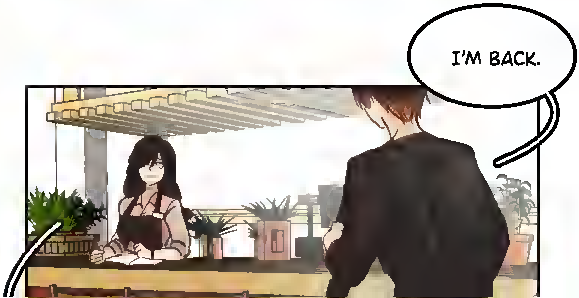
NEVERTHELESS, LIFE
STILL MOVES FORWARD...

THERE ARE TASKS
TO BE DONE...

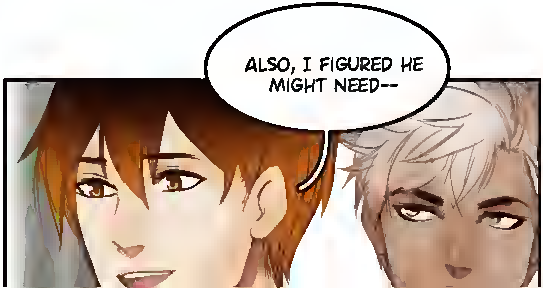
AND WORK TO TEND TO.

I SHOULD PROBABLY
DE-THORN THE ROSES

FIRST...
AND BY THE TIME I'M DONE WITH THAT, I CAN CALL THE CRAFT STORE TO ORDER MORE RIBBONS...


I'M BACK.

HEY, SHON. HOW'S IT GOING?
I GRABBED WHATEVER I THOUGHT WOULD FIT YOUR FRIEND, SO HOPEFULLY THESE WILL DO FOR NOW.


ALSO, I FIGURED HE MIGHT NEED--

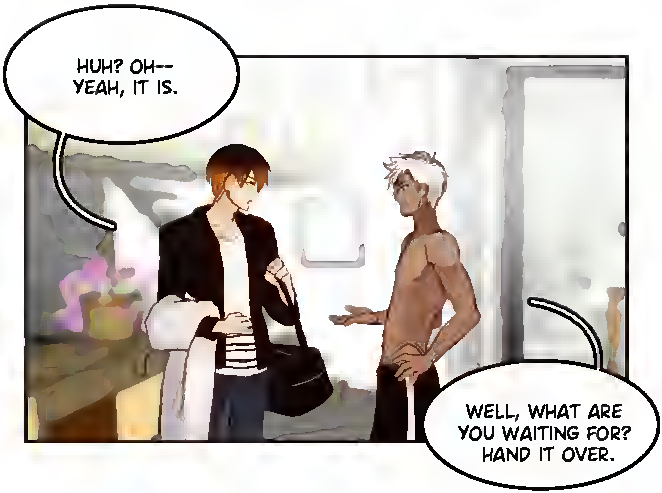
YO.

◁☞⌘●☮☠?!
scratch
scratch

Siren's Lament

I DIDN'T SEE YOU THERE.
Scared me for a second!

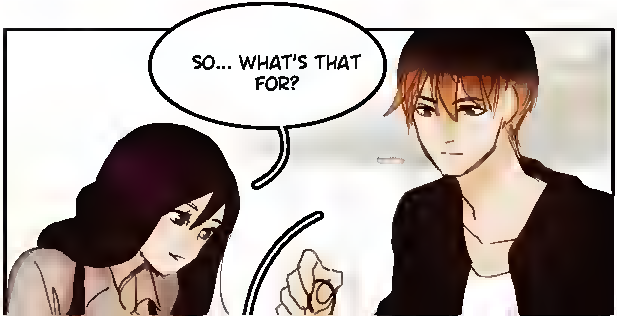
HEY, UM... I WANTED TO APOLOGIZE FOR WHAT HAPPENED EARLIER--
S' THAT FOR ME?

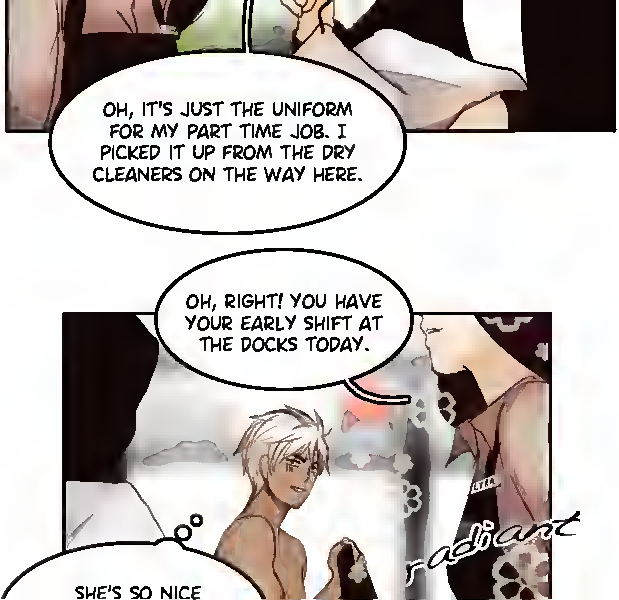

HUH? OH--
YEAH, IT IS.
WELL, WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR? HAND IT OVER.

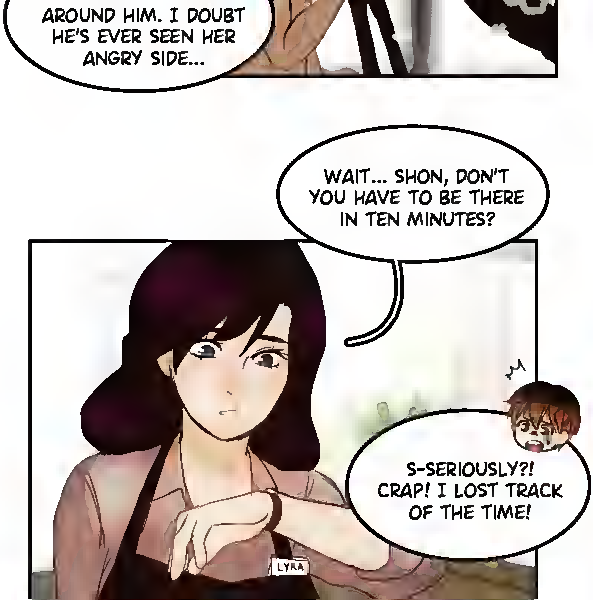
THEY'RE GETTING ALONG BETTER THAN I EXPECTED. AT LEAST IAN IS BEING CIVIL-- SORT OF...
CYRA

THANKS SO MUCH AGAIN FOR DOING THAT, SHON. I REALLY APPRECIATE IT!

YEAH, IT'S NO PROBLEM. THEY'RE JUST CLOTHES, LYR.

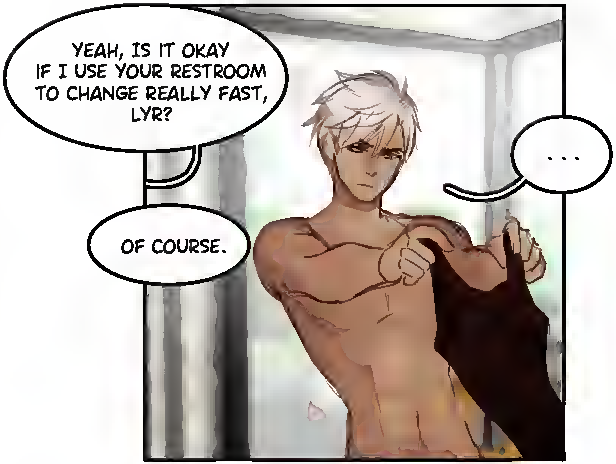

SO... WHAT'S THAT FOR?


OH, IT'S JUST THE UNIFORM FOR MY PART TIME JOB. I PICKED IT UP FROM THE DRY CLEANERS ON THE WAY HERE.
OH, RIGHT! YOU HAVE YOUR EARLY SHIFT AT THE DOCKS TODAY.
SHE'S SO NICE
radiant


AROUND HIM. I DOUBT HE'S EVER SEEN HER ANGRY SIDE...
WAIT... SHON, DON'T YOU HAVE TO BE THERE IN TEN MINUTES?
S-SERIOUSLY?! CRAP! I LOST TRACK OF THE TIME!
LYRA

I SHOULD HAVE CHANGED AND LEFT ALREADY--
AGH THIS ISN'T GOOD... I SWEAR I HAVE THE WORST TIMING.
I THINK YOU

CAN STILL MAKE IT IF YOU HURRY.

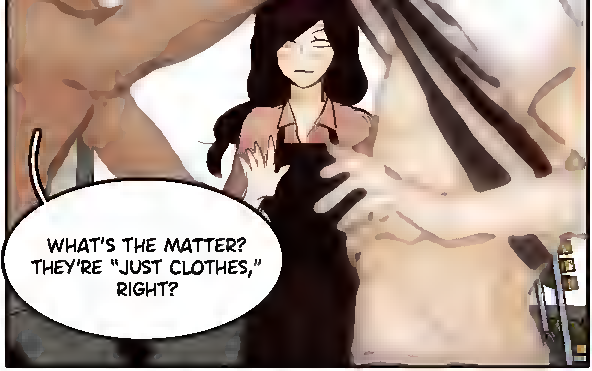


HEY. THESE ARE YOUR OLD CLOTHES, AREN'T THEY? GIVE ME THE ONES YOU'RE WEARING NOW.
HUH?
HOW AM I SUPPOSED TO KNOW IF THE ONES YOU GAVE ME ARE ANY GOOD?

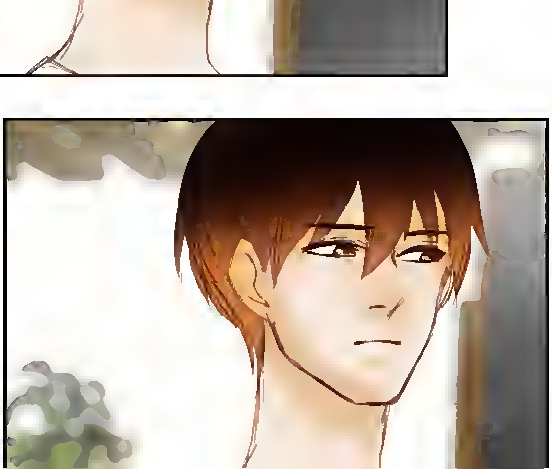
YOU'RE WEARING
THAT, SO THAT MUST
DECENT.

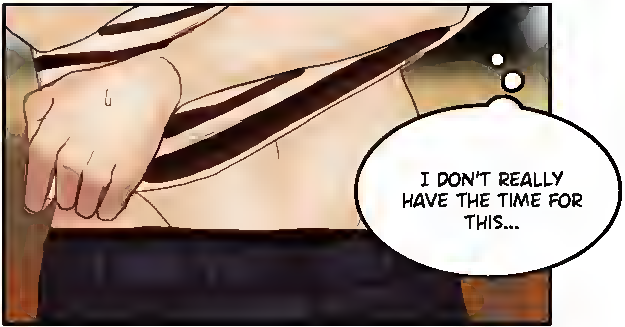
BUT WAIT...
THAT'S NOT...
GIVE IT.
WAH!

YANK
IAN!
CUT IT OUT!
HEY--
SERIOUSLY?!

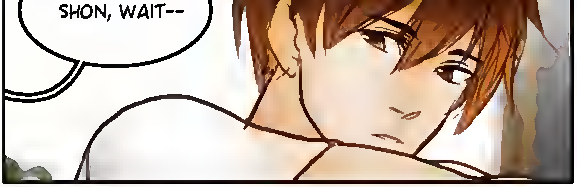

WHAT'S THE MATTER? THEY'RE "JUST CLOTHES," RIGHT?

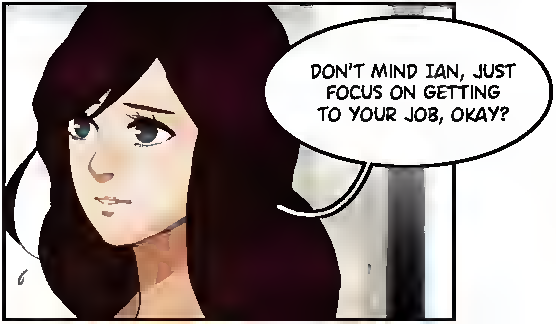
≒BAP≒
WHAT?
ARE YOU SORRY
OR NOT?

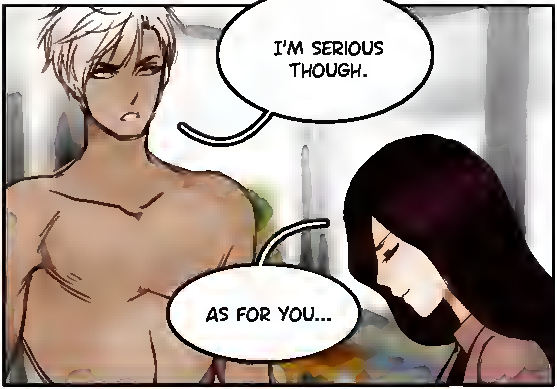



I DON'T REALLY HAVE THE TIME FOR THIS...

lift

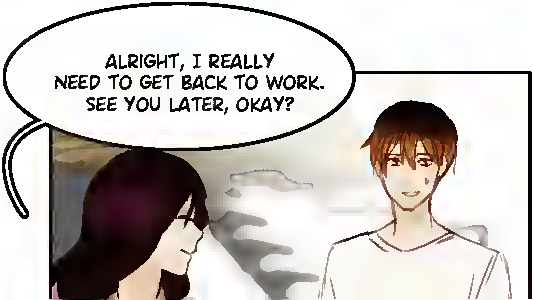

SHON, WAIT--


DON'T MIND IAN, JUST FOCUS ON GETTING TO YOUR JOB, OKAY?


I'M SERIOUS THOUGH.
AS FOR YOU...

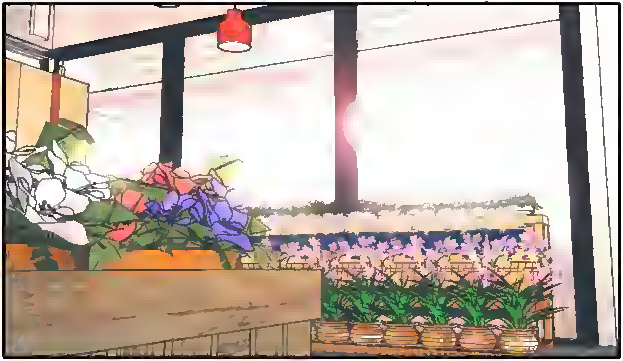
grab

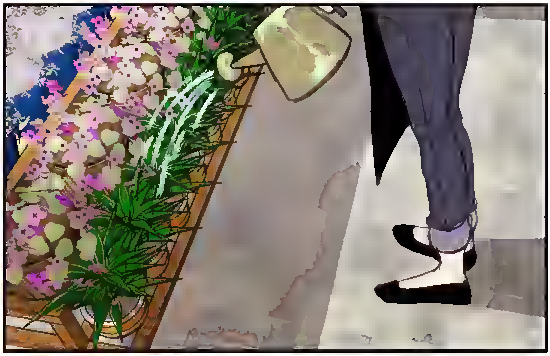
WHACK!
TRY SHOWING A LITTLE MORE GRATITUDE, WOULD YOU?!

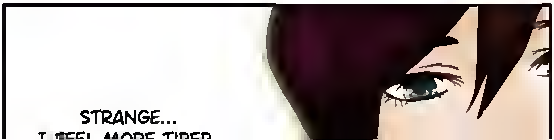

ALRIGHT, I REALLY
NEED TO GET BACK TO WORK.
SEE YOU LATER, OKAY?

YEAH...
... IT TAKES A LOT TO GET LYR ANGRY, I'M PARTLY IMPRESSED THAT YOU'RE ABLE TO BRING OUT THAT SIDE OF HER.

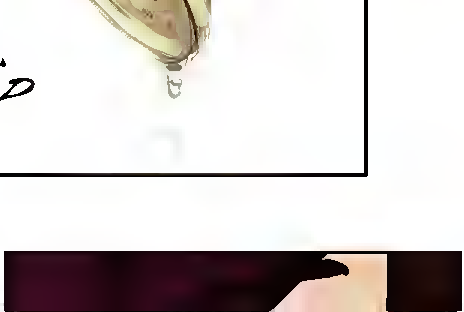
NOT THAT IT'S BAD... MORE LIKE REFRESHING.
WHAT CAN I SAY? IT JUST COMES NATURALLY.






STRANGE...

I FEEL MORE TIRED THAN USUAL...

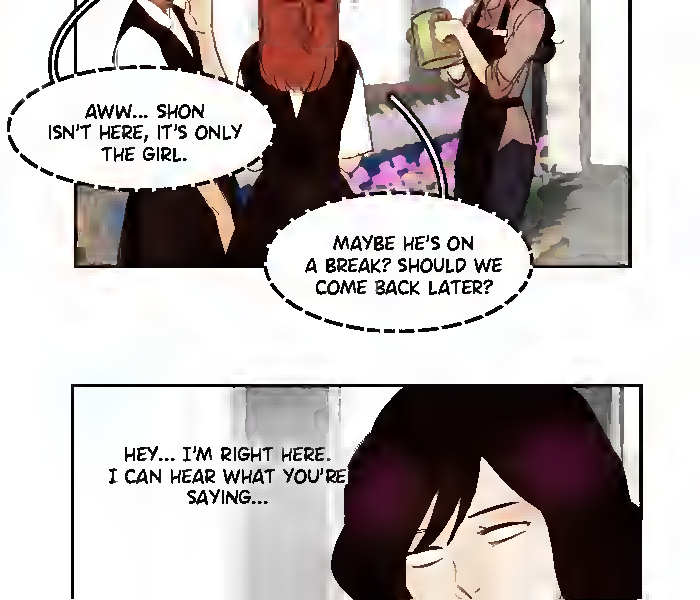


I NEED...

blink

AH-- THIS NEEDS MORE WATER.
ding ding!

OH, HELLO. CAN I HELP YOU?
whisper


AWW... SHON ISN'T HERE, IT'S ONLY THE GIRL.
MAYBE HE'S ON A BREAK? SHOULD WE COME BACK LATER?
HEY... I'M RIGHT HERE. I CAN HEAR WHAT YOU'RE SAYING...

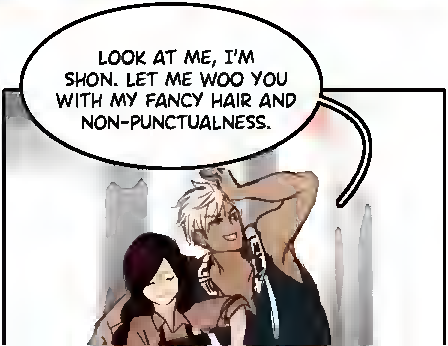
FISH BAIT.

!!!

DOESN'T THAT GUY
HAVE ANYTHING BETTER?

OH? BUT I THINK IT SUITS YOU. BE SURE TO THANK SHON PROPERLY LATER, OKAY?

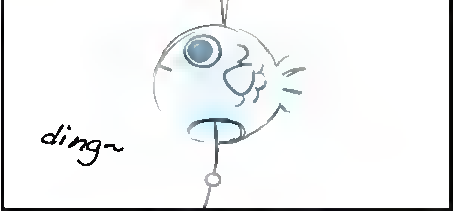
UGH, "SHON" THIS, "SHON" THAT.


LOOK AT ME, I'M SHON. LET ME WOO YOU WITH MY FANCY HAIR AND NON-PUNCTUALNESS.

IT'S "UNPUNCTUALITY" AND YOU SOUND LIKE A KID RIGHT NOW.
OMIGOSH! HE'S EXACTLY MY TYPE! SO FREAKIN' HOT!!!
I LIKE SHON BETTER, BUT THIS GUY HAS SUCH A BAD BOY AURA TO HIM~

HOW DOES SHE DO IT?!
SHE'S SO COOL, I'M JEALOUS!

LET'S ASPIRE TO BE LIKE MISS FLORIST WHEN WE GROW UP!
AREN'T THEY PRAISING ME FOR THE WRONG REASONS?!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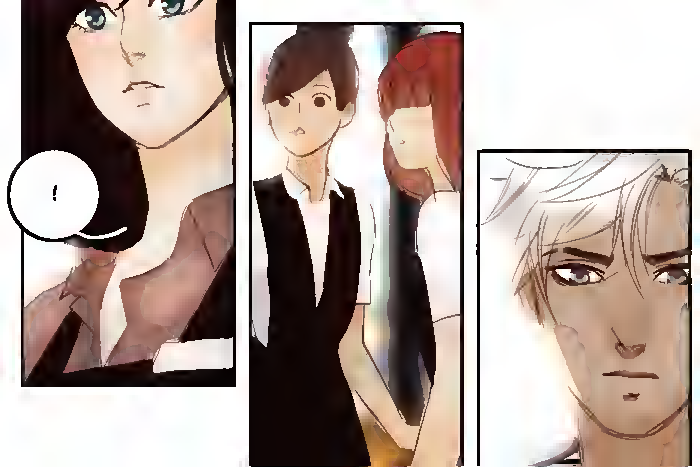

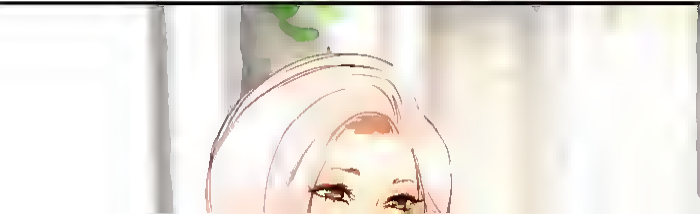

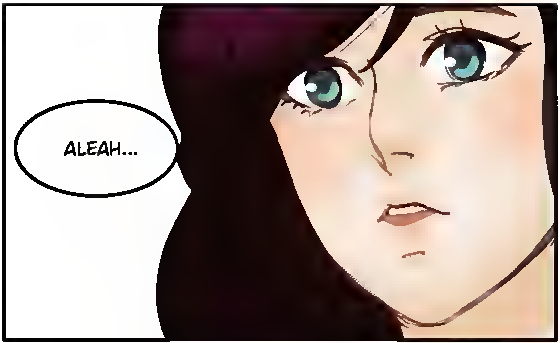
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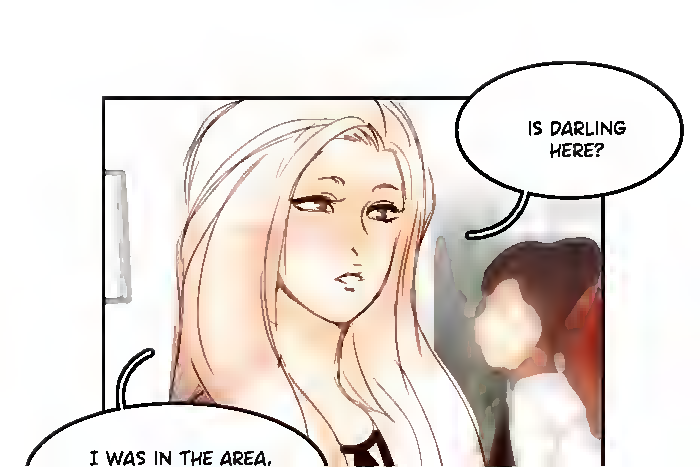
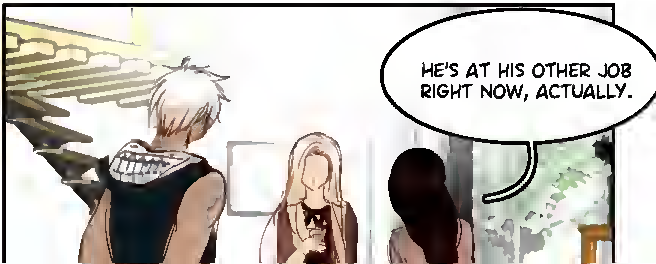

IS DARLING HERE?
I WAS IN THE AREA.

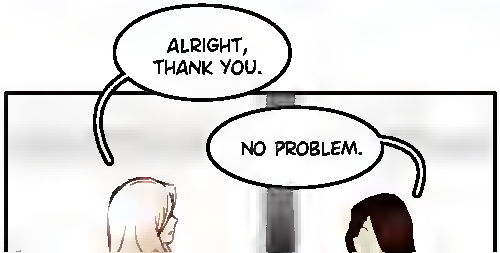
SO I WANTED TO DROP OFF SOME COFFEE.

SHON DOESN'T DRINK COFFEE...



OH.

UM... MAYBE YOU CAN LEAVE IT HERE AND SHON CAN HEAT IT UP LATER?


ALRIGHT, THANK YOU.
NO PROBLEM.

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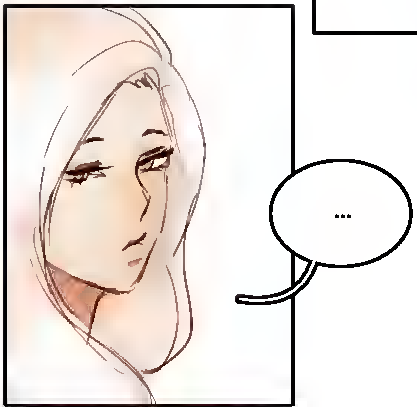
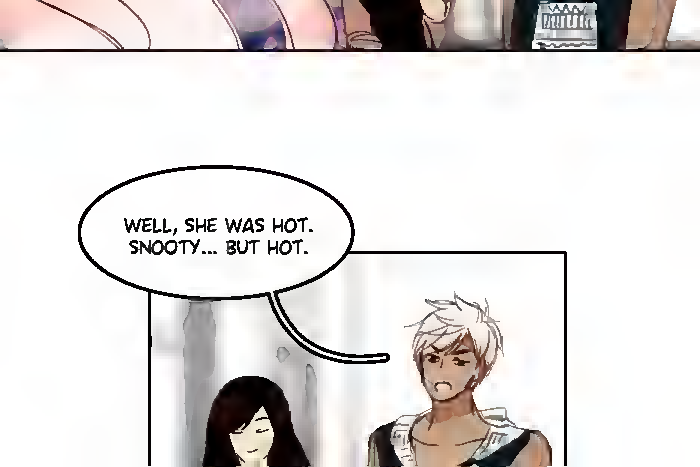
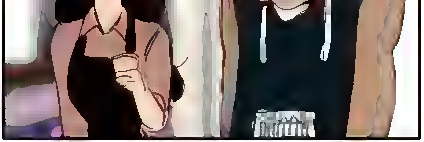
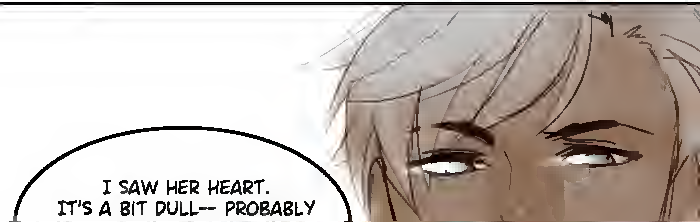



WELL, SHE WAS HOT.
SNOOTY... BUT HOT.



DON'T EVEN THINK ABOUT IT. SHE'S HAPPILY IN A RELATIONSHIP WITH SHON

PSH. NO SHE'S NOT.


I SAW HER HEART.
IT'S A BIT DULL-- PROBABLY

DUE TO SOME TIME PASSING, BUT SHE'S UNDOUBTEDLY HEARTBROKEN.

IF YOU ASK ME, I'D

SAY LOVER BOY IS JUST A REBOUND
?!

Siren's Lament

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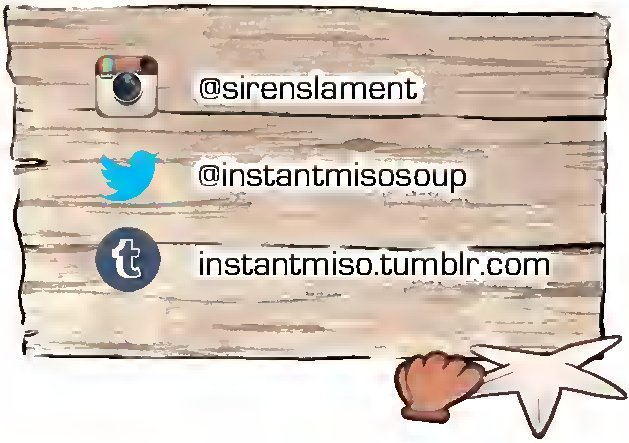
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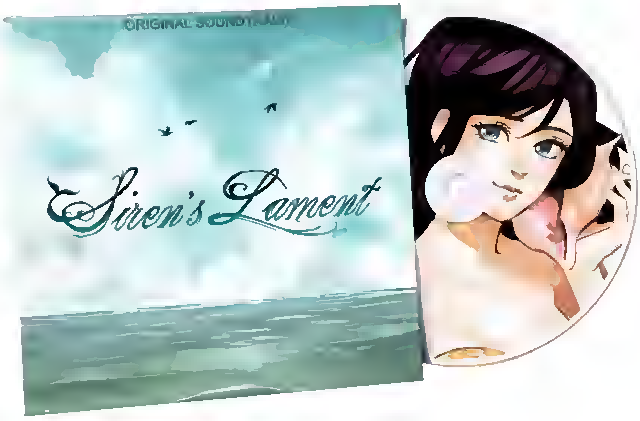

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